

**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
AUSTIN DIVISION**

<b>In re:</b>	§	
	§	<b>Chapter 7</b>
<b>ORLY GENDER,</b>	§	
	§	<b>Case No. 19-10926-tmd</b>
<b>Debtor.</b>	§	
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**MOTION FOR AN ORDER, PURSUANT TO BANKRUPTCY RULE 9018  
AND SECTION 107(b) OF THE BANKRUPTCY CODE, AUTHORIZING SAGI  
GENDER TO FILE UNDER SEAL CERTAIN OF THE EXHIBITS AND PORTIONS OF  
THE OBJECTION AND RESPONSE OF JUDGMENT CREDITOR SAGI GENDER TO  
THE TRUSTEE’S APPLICATION UNDER FEDERAL RULE OF BANKRUPTCY  
PROCEDURE 9019 AND LOCAL RULE 9019 TO APPROVE COMPROMISE**

TO THE HONORABLE TONY M. DAVIS, U.S. BANKRUPTCY JUDGE:

Judgment Creditor, Sagi Genger (“Sagi”), by and through his respective counsel, files this *Motion for an Order, Pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 9018 and Section 107(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, Authorizing Sagi Genger to File Under Seal Certain of the Exhibits and Portions of the Objection and Response of Judgment Creditor Sagi Genger to the Trustee’s Application Under Federal Rule of Bankruptcy Procedure 9019 and Local Rule 9019 to Approve Compromise* (the “Motion”).

In support of this Motion, the Sagi respectfully represents:

**I. SUMMARY OF MOTION**

1. Sagi intends to file his *Objection and Response of Judgment Creditor Sagi Genger to the Trustee’s Application Under Federal Rule of Bankruptcy Procedure 9019 and Local Rule 9019 to Approve Compromise* (the “9019 Objection”).

2. Pursuant to and in order to comply with an existing Protective Order (as defined below) in another action, Sagi requests that certain of the exhibits and portions of the 9019

Objection be filed under seal since some of the exhibits were designated as “confidential,” by the Debtor and others.

3. Sagi also requests that, once the Court reviews the 9019 Objection in un-redacted format and the Exhibits, that the Court order that the Motion and Exhibits be excluded from the terms of the Protective Order and be filed with the Court in un-redacted format, since none of the “confidentiality” designations were proper in the Chapter 7 context.

## **II. BACKGROUND**

4. Orly Genger (“Orly” or “Debtor”) and Sagi are parties to post-judgment proceedings in aid of a final judgment, which are pending in the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York. The proceeding implicates fraudulent transfers of the Debtor’s assets to various parties, including but not limited to her husband Eric Herschmann, made to frustrate Sagi’s judgment.

5. A Protective Order was entered in that proceeding, Case No. 17-cv-08181-VSB-DCF, *Genger v. Genger*, on February 7, 2019 (the “Protective Order”). A true and correct copy of the Protective Order is attached hereto as **Exhibit A**.

6. On or about July 12, 2019 (the “Petition Date”), the Debtor filed a voluntary petition thereby commencing this bankruptcy case.

7. Sagi is filing the 9019 Objection contemporaneously with this Motion.

8. Accordingly and pursuant to the Protective Order, Sagi hereby requests that certain of the exhibits and portions of the 9019 Objection be filed under seal until the Court has an opportunity to review the un-redacted 9019 Objection and Exhibits.

9. Sagi is taking this additional step in order to comply with the Protective Order. However, he asserts that the Protective Order’s provision should not be applied in the Chapter 7 proceeding and that the “confidential” exhibits and the portion of the Motion related to the

exhibits should be in the public record because they are not truly confidential, and because the very nature of a Chapter 7 proceeding is to give full and complete disclosures regarding the Debtor's and her non-filing spouse's assets and liabilities.

### **III. RELIEF REQUESTED**

10. Contemporaneously herewith, Sagi is filing his 9019 Objection. Certain of the exhibits and portions of the 9019 Objection are protected under the Protective Order and cannot be publicly disclosed. Accordingly, by this Motion, Sagi requests entry of an order authorizing him to file under seal, for review *in camera* by this Court, certain of the exhibits and portions of the 9019 Objection deemed "confidential" by the Debtor and others.

#### **Cause Exists to File Certain of the Exhibits and Portions of the 9019 Objection Under Seal**

11. Section 107(b) of the Bankruptcy Code provides bankruptcy courts with the power to issue orders that will protect entities from potential harm:

On request of a party in interest, the bankruptcy court shall, and on the bankruptcy court's own motion, the bankruptcy court may –

- (1) protect an entity with respect to a trade secret of confidential research, development, or commercial information...

11 U.S.C. § 107(b). In addition, Bankruptcy Rule 9018 defines the procedure by which a party may move for relief under section 107(b):

On motion or on its own initiative, with or without notice, the court may make any order which justice requires (1) to protect the estate or any entity in respect of a trade secret or other confidential research, development, or commercial information...

12. Pursuant to Local Rule 9018 (Secret or Confidential Matters) of the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Western District of Texas, the Parties have not filed certain of the exhibits with the 9019 Objection, and portions of the 9019 Objection have been redacted, due to the existing Protective Order.

13. Upon the Court's approval of the relief requested herein, certain of the "confidential" exhibits to the 9019 Objection will be filed under seal with the Court by presenting the document to the Clerk in accordance with Local Rule 9018. After the Court has reviewed the un-redacted 9019 Objection and the Exhibits, Movant requests that he be released from the Protective Order and that the Motion in its entirety and the "confidential" exhibits thereto be filed with the Clerk of the Court and become part of the record.

#### **IV. CONCLUSION AND PRAYER**

WHEREFORE, Sagi respectfully requests entry of an order granting the relief requested herein and such other relief as the Court may deem just and appropriate.

Dated: October 18, 2019

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

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